

The GLO-CDR Implementation Manual provides guidance for CDBG-DR and CDBG-MIT subrecipients and should not be construed as exhaustive instructions.

CHAPTER 3-RECORDKEEPING & REPORTING

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CHAPTER 3-RECORDKEEPING & REPORTING

3.1 Reporting

Accurate recordkeeping is crucial to the successful management of CDBG-DR and CDBG-MIT funded activities. Insufficient documentation could lead to monitoring findings and repayment of funds.

All required documentation associated with a project or activity should tell a complete story of project eligibility, from application to closeout. Subrecipients will report all required data into the GLO system of record as instructed. Subrecipients must also maintain a full and current set of all program related documents at their primary office location and available upon request.

CDBG-DR and CDBG-MIT subrecipients are also required to submit a Monthly Status Report as detailed in the Subrecipient Agreement or by the request of the Grant Manager. Reports should be submitted to GLO-CDR in a timely manner as requested by the GLO or by the requirements established in the Subrecipient's Agreement.

3.2 Establish a Record-Keeping System

Subrecipients are the Responsible Entity for all Subrecipient Agreement-related activities and must maintain all CDBG-DR and CDBG-MIT files on-site at the subrecipient's customary place of business (e.g., city hall, county courthouse, main office) and be available for review upon request by HUD, GLO staff, or other entities. Subrecipients must be familiar with and adhere to all regulations of the Public Information Act as appropriate.

(https://comptroller.texas.gov/about/policies/open-records/public-information-act.php)

Subrecipients must establish a record-keeping system to document compliance with all federal, state, local, and program requirements. Subrecipients must document and clearly define all processes for acquiring, organizing, storing, retrieving, and reporting information about CDBG-DR and CDBG-MIT funded activities. This documentation could be incorporated into Standard Operating Procedures (SOPs), policy manuals, or other guidance documents. Subrecipients should not delegate recordkeeping as retention requirements are specific to the subrecipient. Consideration to physical records should include:

- Where are the items stored;
- Are the records at risk of destruction;
- What identifies the records to be kept for the required record-keeping period.

If using electronic records, the subrecipient must have ownership of the records and be able to access the information long term. It is important to specify person(s) responsible for records management



and reporting. The person(s) responsible for these tasks must be properly trained for this responsibility; subrecipient policies and procedures must include processes that ensure recordkeeping consistency and training. When using electronic record-keeping systems, the subrecipient should consider a contingency plan for data disaster recovery as well as access to those records when there is a change in staff.

3.3 Recordkeeping—Technical Assistance

GLO-CDR is available to provide technical assistance throughout the life of the Subrecipient Agreement to ensure compliance and eligibility. Technical assistance may include:

- Email correspondence;
- Individual and conference phone calls; and/or
- On-site visits and meetings.

Documentation of any Technical Assistance provided must be included in the subrecipient's program record-keeping files.

3.4 Files to Maintain

Although the specific documentation maintained may vary depending on the type of project or activity (infrastructure, housing, economic revitalization, etc.), subrecipients are required to maintain comprehensive, up-to-date project files. The files should cover all aspects of the project, beginning with application and eligibility and ending with program closure.

When assigning project responsibilities, each subrecipient should carefully assess the duties identified in this guide to determine their staff's capacity to administer and report for this Subrecipient Agreement (e.g., Force Account labor). Should the subrecipient determine that they need assistance to complete the tasks, grant administration service fees are an eligible activity. In either case, grant administration funds are often subject to caps that will be defined in the associated governing documents.

If the subrecipient chooses to procure for grant administration services, the subrecipient must follow all 2 CFR 200 procurement regulations (see Chapter 5 of this Manual) and clearly differentiate the tasks to be completed by the subrecipient from those assigned to the vendor. Clear separation of duties is essential to establish expectations and avoid duplication of effort.

Accurate recordkeeping is necessary to ensure that all documentation for each of the duties identified is compliant with federal, state, local, and program requirements. In brief, every file must fully tell the story of the Subrecipient Agreement/project from application to completion to ensure success in the inevitable audits that will come.



For reference purposes, a sample Infrastructure File Review Checklist is provided at the end of this chapter (see Section 3.6 below). The Infrastructure File Review Checklist provides the basic outline of the documentation subrecipients must maintain on-site. The order of the documentation can be at the subrecipient's discretion, as long as it is arranged in a manner where the files can be efficiently audited. To facilitate audits, it is highly recommended that subrecipients include a Table of Contents for their CDBG-DR and CDBG-MIT files that identifies where documents can be found (e.g., "Box 1", "Filing Cabinet A, Drawer 2") and/or a clear explanation of the electronic filing system and how to access that data. Whether or not using the optional guide, each listed item must be addressed in the local filing system, even if to indicate the task is not appropriate/applicable to the situation.

The following list outlines some, but not necessarily all, key topics and categories the subrecipient should include when developing a project file structure. These categories below are not prescriptive or all inclusive. For additional assistance, please contact your Grant Manager.

Subrecipient Information

- Organizational chart;
- Final approved application for funding;
- Complete and signed Request for Federal Funding SF-424;
- Executed Subrecipient Agreement, amendments, revisions, and/or Technical and Guidance Letters.

General Administrative Records

- Personnel files, if applicable;
- GLO monitoring correspondence;
- Pass-through entity agreements; and
- Pass-through entity monitoring.

Civil Rights, Fair Housing, EEO, Citizen Participation

- Citizen participation compliance documentation;
- Complaint policies and procedures;
- Fair Housing and Equal Opportunity records;
- Documentation of compliance with crosscutting requirements (e.g., Davis-Bacon, Uniform Relocation Act, and Lead-Based Paint);
- Limited English Proficiency documentation;
- · Outreach performed to assure that minority businesses, women's business enterprises, and labor surplus area firms are used when possible; and
- Job Creation/Retention reports.



Internal Financial Records

- Financial policies and procedures;
- Budget;
- Accounting journals, ledgers & chart of accounts;
- Financial Source documentation (purchase orders, invoices, canceled checks);
- Real property & equipment inventory documentation;
- Draw requests and backup documentation;
- Financial reports;
- · Audit reports and documentation; and
- Relevant financial correspondence.

Environmental

- Complete Environmental review records to include:
 - Public notices/publisher's affidavit;
 - Coordination letters for/from other agencies;
 - Public comments;
 - Request for Release of Funds and Certification form;
 - Authority to Use Grant Funds form;
 - Documentation of compliance with other applicable laws/authorities;
 - Flood plain maps as necessary;
 - o Texas Historical Commission notification and response letters as appropriate; and
 - o Other documentation identified by HUD or GLO Environmental staff.
- Environmental re-evaluations (if necessary).
- If applicable; Environmental exemption form titled "Exemption Determination for Activities Listed at 24 CFR 58.34" along with required 58.6 Compliance Checklist.

Procurement and Draw Requests

- Procurement policies and procedures;
- Procurement of professional services files (advertisements, proposals/qualifications, contracts, etc.);
- Procurement of construction files (advertisements, bids, scoring, notice of award, contracts, etc.);
- Bid rejection documentation;
- Bank account records (including program income records, if applicable);
- Draw requests;
- Original invoices;
- Meeting Minutes for invoice payment approval;
- Copies of payments;
- Human Resources Employee Personnel Records;
- Timesheets:



- Benefit Rates for employees; and
- Payroll records and reports.

Reporting and Recordkeeping

- · Local policies and procedures;
- Project/activity status;
- Project/activity eligibility and national objective;
- Characteristics and location of the beneficiaries, including race and ethnicity of beneficiaries;
 and
- Compliance with special program requirements (e.g., environmental review records).

Documenting Relationship to the Disaster

- Damage or building estimates for physical losses;
- Post-disaster analyses or assessments for economic or non-physical losses;
- Insurance claims; and
- FEMA data.

Documenting Duplication of Benefits

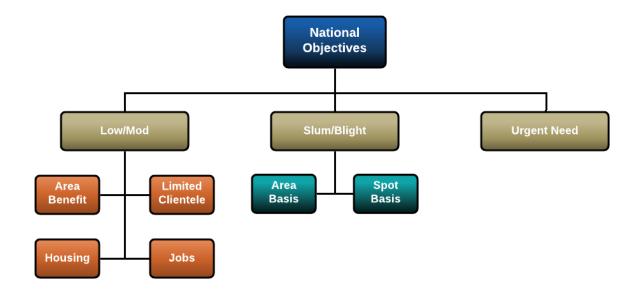
- Verification of sources of assistance;
 - FEMA award letter;
 - Insurance letter:
 - SBA assistance/declined loans;
- Calculation of CDBG-DR and CDBG-MIT award; and
- Subrogation agreement (or similar agreement).

In addition to GLO resources, HUD has developed a number of record-keeping and reporting resources, including the <u>2016 CDBG-DR</u>: <u>Subrecipient Management and Recordkeeping Webinar</u> and the CDBG-DR Toolkit. See <u>Resources</u>—Resource 3.1 at the end of the chapter for additional information.

Documenting National Objective

All CDBG-DR funded projects must meet at least one of three HUD National Objectives: low- and moderate-income benefit, slum, and blight (rarely used for CDBG-DR), and urgent need.





Low to Moderate Income (LMI)

- Determining and documenting income;
- Calculate total cost of the activity, including both CDBG and non-CDBG funds;
- Calculate size, annual income, and FHEO characteristics of households occupying CDBGassisted and designated LMI units;
- For Multifamily projects only:
 - a copy of the written agreement indicating the total number of dwelling units and the number of LMI units;
- For rental housing only:
 - Rent charged (or to be charged for each assisted unit and
 - Documentation showing the affordability of units occupied (or to be occupied) by LMI Pro-rata option.
- For infrastructure:
 - Documentation of direct or area benefit of LMI population served by the project.

Slums and Blight

- Boundaries of the project area;
- Description of conditions demonstrating how the area met qualifying criteria (e.g., the area meets a definition of a slum, blighted, or deteriorated/ing area under state or local law); and
- Project description includes steps to eliminate or address one or more of the conditions contributing to the deterioration of the area.



<u>Urgent Need</u>

Urgent need (UN) is used to address emergency situations, including disaster recovery. For CDBG-DR urgent need, a subrecipient need not issue formal certification statements to qualify an activity as meeting the UN national objective. Instead, the subrecipient must:

- Document how each program and/or activity funded under the UN national objective responds to a disaster-related impact and
- Reference (if applicable) in its action plan needs assessment the type, scale, and location of
 the disaster-related impacts that each program and/or activity is addressing over the course
 of the applicable deadline for the expenditure of obligated grant funds. The GLO provides
 guidance to assist subrecipients document urgent need, including the Urgent Need National
 Objective Form, included in Resources—Resource 2.2 at the end of the chapter.

It is recommended that subrecipients use the low- and moderate-income benefit national objective for all activities that qualify under the criteria for that national objective. At least 70 percent of the entire CDBG-DR grant must be used for activities that benefit low- and moderate-income persons.

Contact your assigned GLO-CDR Grant Manager for further information about documenting National Objective.

3.5 Records Retention

Project records should provide a detailed, chronological, and historical account of the CDBG-DR and CDBG-MIT project for examination and review by local staff, the GLO, HUD, state and federal auditors, other state agencies, and any other interested persons. The subrecipient must maintain one complete set of files at the city or county offices. The record retention period for CDBG-DR and CDBG-MIT Subrecipient Agreements is three (3) years after the GLO closes the contract with HUD. The record retention period for Subrecipient Agreements does NOT begin when the Subrecipient Agreement between the subrecipient and the state is closed.

GLO-CDR will notify subrecipients when a grant has closed by sending a letter that includes the specific date of the grant closeout and the retention period.

If a subrecipient is notified by the GLO in writing, or if other applicable laws and regulations as described in 24 CFR 570.490 apply to a project, the record retention period may be extended. If any litigation, public information request, claim, or audit is started before the expiration of the record retention period, the records must be kept until the action has been resolved.

All CDBG-DR and CDBG-MIT Subrecipient Agreement records must be available for review by HUD until the retention period is satisfied.



3.6 Sample File Review Checklist

	RECORDS MANAGEMEN	Т		
Subrecipient:				
SUBRECIPIENT AGREEMENT/CONT RACT NUMBER:				
Category	Files to Maintain	Location of Files	Present Y/N?	File Review Comments
APPLICATION	Recipient's Complete Application (Approved Application Maintained in Austin) to include: Survey Tabulation/Census/ Other Beneficiary Data (If Census data was used, a note stating so is in the file); Public Hearing Information (if conducted; requirement was waived)			
	Records demonstrating each activity meets one of the National Objectives	Application		
	Surveys to support Tabulation and Other Beneficiary Data	Subrecipient		
	Organizational chart: Identify staff that is directly involved with the DR grant.	Subrecipient		
	Responses to GLO Request for Information (RFI)			
Category	Files to Maintain	Location of Files	Present Y/N?	File Review Comments
SUBRECIPIENT AGREEMENT	Executed Subrecipient Agreement (State Contract)			
	Executed Subrecipient Agreement with Performance Statement and Budget for each activity	Agreement		
	Subrecipient Agreement Amendments and/or Revisions, flagged and filed in numerical order NOTE: this includes all forms and documentation related to requests or approvals for Subrecipient Agreement amendments, revisions, or modifications.			



Category	Files to Maintain	Location of	Present	File Review
FINIANICIAL	Designated Deposits on (Asst. 1	Files	Y/N?	Comments
FINANCIAL	Designated Depository/Authorized			
	Signatory Form and Resolution			
	Direct Deposit Authorization form			
	NOTE: if direct deposit is not used, include			
	a note in the file stating this.	Cubrasiniant		
	Application for TIN (if needed)	Subrecipient		
	Copy of transaction register/general ledger for DR funds			
		Cubraciniant		
	Financial Policy and procedure manual	Subrecipient		
	used to submit payments to the GLO	Cubrosiniant		
	Fidelity bonding coverage, current NOTE: proof of coverage must indicate the	Subrecipient		
	expiration date and the insureds must			
	include the designated signatories.			
	Request for Payment packages (draws) in	Subrecipient		
	numeric order	Subrecipient		
	Source Documentation to support the			
	receipt and disbursement of DR Funds (e.g.,			
	cancelled checks, deposit slips, monthly			
	bank statements, bank account			
	reconciliation records, etc.)			
	Documentation of commitment of local			
	funds, if applicable (e.g., general ledger			
	entry or cancelled check showing what the			
	community paid)			
	Code of Ethics Policy on Fraud, Waste and			
	Abuse			
Category	Files to Maintain	Location of	Present	File Review
		Files	Y/N?	Comments
ENVIRONMENTAL	Environmental Review Record/Assessment			
(If all required data	(ERR)			
is included in the	Environmental Checklist			
Environmental	The following documents should be			
Review Record,	included in the ERR and flagged for easy			
separate folders	identification:			
are not necessary.	Floodplain Notices/8-step documentation,			
Any needed Re-	if applicable			
Evaluations,	Project Boundary Map			
however, must be	Public Notices/Publisher's Affidavit			
included)	Coordinating Letters to/from other			
	agencies			



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	Public Comments			
	Request for Release of Funds and			
	Certification form			
	Authority to Use Grant Funds form (AUGF)			
	Documentation of compliance with other			
	applicable laws/authorities			
	Flood plain maps/E.O. 11988 compliance, if			
	applicable			
	Texas Historical Commission notification			
	and response letters			
	Re-evaluation Letters, as applicable			
	Special Permitting—example USACE			
	Certification of Exemption for HUD funded			
	Projects (Administration, Engineering and			
	Planning)			
Category	Files to Maintain	Location of	Present	File Review
3 ,		Files	Y/N?	Comments
LEAD-BASED	Documentation tenants were provided Lead			
PAINT, if	Hazards or EPA equivalent information			
applicable; required	Lead-based paint Disclosure form was			
for Housing	included in lease agreement and signed by			
	tenant prior to executed lease agreement			
	Documentation lead-based paint			
	evaluation/assessment performed on			
	housing/buildings built pre-1978			
	Documentation of remediation work			
	See Environmental Review Files for details			
	on LBP			
Category	Files to Maintain	Location of	Present	File Review
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PROCUREMENT	Local Progurament Policy	1 1100	1714.	Comments
PROCUREWENT	Local Procurement Policy	Application		
	Environmental Exemption Form for Professional Services	Application		
	This section should be duplicated for each			
	contract (construction and/or professional			
	services) procured:	Cubuasiniant		
	Rationale for the method of procurement	Subrecipient		
	Rationales include (see Project			
	Implementation Manual for descriptions):			
	Evidence of Affirmative Steps Taken to			
	Assure Participation by Small/Minority			
	Businesses			



Minutes/Resolution Awarding		
Contract(s)/Amendment(s)		
Executed Contract	Subrecipient	
Executed Contract, Amendments, Work	Subrecipient	
Orders and/or Change Orders in numerical		
order, if any		
Insurance Coverage		
Bonding Information, if applicable		
COMPETIVE PROPOSALS (Request for	Subrecipient	
Proposal/Qualification, Professional		
Services Only)		
1. RFP's and/or RFQ sent to professional	Subrecipient	
service providers, if applicable		
2. Advertisement	Subrecipient	
3. All responses (offers) to advertisement,	Subrecipient	
RFP/RFQ received		
4. Written review and evaluation of offers	Subrecipient	
received		
5. Written negotiations with firm and final		
officer, if applicable		
SMALL PURCHASE PROCUREMENT		
1. Price or rate quotes received		
2. Written documentation of at least three		
(3) sources contacted and basis for		
selection		
COMPETIVE SEALED BID		
1. Bid Package (material, supplies and		
construction services, only)		
2. Bid Advertisements		
3. Minutes from public bid opening and		
copies of bids received		
4. Bid Tabulation (List of responding		
bidders)		
5. Evidence of Bidders' Receipt of Addenda,		
if applicable		
6. Written reason for rejecting any or all		
bids, if applicable		



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Category	Files to Maintain	Location of Files	Present Y/N?	File Review Comments
PROCUREMENT (CONTINUED)	NON-COMPETITIVE SEALED BID PROCUREMENT			
	1. Written approval from the GLO			
	2. Evidence of Plans and Bid Documents			
	sent to construction providers			
	3. Bid Tabulation and copies of responses or offers received			
Category	Files to Maintain	Location of Files	Present Y/N?	File Review Comments
REPORTS	Monthly Reports flagged by year and filed in chronologic order			
	Financial Interest Reports (FIRs)			
	NOTE: FIRs must be filed for the GA,			
	engineer, contractor, and any subcontractors.			
	Other Reports (Section 3 reports)			
Category	Files to Maintain	Location of	Present	File Review
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ACQUISITION	Initial Real Property Acquisition Report (not detailed)			
	Real Property Acquisition Report (details	Subrecipient		
	for each parcel), if any			
	URA Policy (Acquisition Policy)	Subrecipient		
	For each parcel, easement or right of way to be acquired and/or obtained:	Subrecipient		
	1. Notice to Owner, for Involuntary Acquisitions: include evidence the owner received "When a public Agency Acquires Your Property" and "The Texas Landowner's Bill of Rights"	Subrecipient		
	2. Determine Fair Market Value/ Valuation by appraisal or tax office	Subrecipient		
	3. Invitation to Accompany Appraiser, if applicable	Subrecipient		
	4. Statement of the basis for the determination of Just Compensation, if applicable	Subrecipient		
	5. Written purchase offer and documentation of delivery	Subrecipient		



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	6. If property is donated, documentation from property owner agreement "Waivers of	Subrecipient		
	Right to Just Compensation"			
	7. Any and all negotiations with property owners	Subrecipient		
	8. Settlement and Contract Sale or Act of Donation	Subrecipient		
	9. Record of purchase (cancelled check)	Subrecipient		
	10. Evidence of Filing with County Clerk			
	11. Record of any appeals or complaints files, if applicable	Subrecipient		
	Back-up Acquisition Documents			
Category	Files to Maintain	Location of Files	Present Y/N?	File Review Comments
DEMOLITION	For Each Property/Parcel Demolished			
	1. A separate file for each property/parcel demolished			
	2. Proof property was vacant prior to demolition			
	3. If property is acquired for construction, see list of required documents in			
2 :	Acquisition		5 .	E'I D '
Category	Files to Maintain	Location of Files	Present Y/N?	File Review Comments
RELOCATION	URA Policy			
	Claim Forms			
	a. Claim(s) for Fixed Payment in lieu of Payment for Actual Moving and Related Expenses			
	b. Claim(s) for Moving Costs			
	c. Claim for Replacement Housing Payment for Homeowners			
	d. Claim for Rental Assistance or Down Payment Assistance			
	Acknowledgement of Receipt of Relocation Expenses/Payments			
	FOR EACH CLAIM			
	Evidence and dates of personal contacts and description of services provided			
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	Identification of person, displacement			
	property, beneficiary data, monthly			
	expenses and relocation needs			



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	Notice of Eligibility for Relocations				
	Assistance				
	Notice of Displacement				
	Household Case Record for housing needs				
	Referrals to replacement properties and				
	documentation for declining, if applicable				
	Copy of 90-Day Notice to vacate notice, if				
	issued				
	Details of actual replacement property				
	(sale, monthly expenses, date of relocation)		•	5 .	=" = '
Category	Files to Maintain	Location	of	Present	File Review
DELOCATION	Barda and the same of the same of the same of	Files		Y/N?	Comments
RELOCATION	Replacement property inspection report				
(CONTINUED)	Approval claim form and evidence the				
	person received payment				
	Copy of any complaints and/or appeals				
	Copy of deferred loan lien agreement				
	BUSINESS RELOCATION				
	General Information Notice (GIN)				
	Notice of Interest to Owner				
	Evidence business received timely notice of				
	possible displacements and description of				
	relocation payments and eligible services to				
	include procedures for these services				
	Documentation of referrals to replacement				
	properties				
	Copy of 90-Day Notice to vacate notice, if				
	issued				
	Identification of displacement property,				
	beneficiary data, monthly expenses and				
	relocation needs				
	Copy of replacement dwelling inspection				
	report Copy of each approved claim form and				
	person received payment				
	Copy of any complaints and/or appeals				
	Copy of deferred loan lien agreement, if				
	applicable				
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FOR PERSONAL	B control of the control	Files	Y/N?	Comments
FOR PERSONS/	Documentation timely written notice was			
BUSINESSES NOT	issued & received that displacement would			
DISPLACED	not take place			
	Documentation occupants received a timely			
	offer of: (a) reasonable opportunity for			
	another dwelling b) reimbursement for out-			
	of-pocket expenses incurred with			
	temporary relocation			
	Ineligible: Documentation occupants elects			
	to move, reason for the move and			
	understands they do not qualify for			
	relocation assistance			
Category	Files to Maintain	Location of	Present	File Review
		Files	Y/N?	Comments
CONSTRUCTION	Special studies, surveys, test results for			
PROJECT	project			
FILES	Copy of preliminary design (s) and cost			
	estimates which were included as part of			
	the application			
	Final design and cost estimates by engineer			
	and acceptance by subrecipient			
Category	Files to Maintain	Location of	Present	File Review
		Files	Y/N?	Comments
LABOR	Appointment of Labor Standards Officer			
STANDARDS	Form			
	The following should be duplicated for each			
	bid package:			
	Wage Rate Determination/Wage Decision			
	10-day Call Confirmation			
	Contract Eligibility Verification (printout	Subrecipient		
	SAM.gov)			
	Notice to Proceed	Subrecipient		
Category	Files to Maintain	Location of	Present	File Review
		Files	Y/N?	Comments
LABOR	The following should be duplicated for each			
STANDARDS	bid package:			
(CONTINUED)	Pre-Construction Conference Report	Subrecipient		
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	Additional Wage Rate Classification	Subrecipient		
	Requests/Approval, as applicable			
	NOTE: if no additional requests, include a			
	note in the file stating this.			
	Evidence of LSO Review of Contractor's	Subrecipient		
	Weekly Payroll Records (initialed/dated by			
	LS0).			
	1. Contractors and subcontractors certified	Subrecipient		
	weekly payrolls 2. Certified corrected payrolls, if applicable	Subrecipient		
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	3. Restitution documentation, if applicable	Subrecipient		
	4. Apprenticeship/Trainee documentation, if applicable	Subrecipient		
Category	Files to Maintain	Location of	Present	File Review
		Files	Y/N?	Comments
LABOR	The following should be duplicated for each			
STANDARDS	bid package:			
(CONTINUED)	Employee Interviews			
	Monitoring and Inspection Reports			
	NOTE: these reports may be provided by			
	the engineer. Can consist of reports,			
	pictures, etc.			
	Evidence Federal Wage Determination, EEO			
	and Safety poster were posted at job site			
	Complaints for workers, if any, and action			
	taken			
	Contractor and subcontractor Section 3			
	Compliance for contracts over \$100,000			
	Certificate of Construction Completion			
	(COCC)			
	As Built Drawings			
	Clear Lien certificate, if applicable			
	Final Wage Compliance Report (FWCR)			
	Documentation for all applicable special			
	conditions (e.g., CCN approval; TCEQ water			
	review, TxDOT review for bridge			
	construction/rehabilitation; TCEQ sewer			
	permit), ADA Accessibility			



Category	Files to Maintain	Location of	Present	File Review
		Files	Y/N?	Comments
FORCE ACCOUNT	Force Account Labor Payroll Records, as	Subrecipient		
	applicable			
	NOTE: if force account labor is not			
	utilized, include a note in the file stating			
	this.			
	Personnel Cost Calculation Sheet			
	Equipment Cost Calculation Sheet			
	Administrative Personnel Time Sheet			
	Force Account Equipment Use and	Subrecipient		
	Construction Personnel Time			
	Sheets/Rate Records			
	Invoices/Justification of Equipment,	Subrecipient		
	Fuel and Repairs (non-FEMA)			
	Force Account Certificate of	Subrecipient		
	Construction Completion			
	Procurement Policy/Rationale for	Subrecipient		
	Method of Procurement			
	Evidence of Analysis of Lease or	Subrecipient		
	Purchase Alternatives, as applicable			
	Method of Procurement utilized for	Subrecipient		
	equipment (lease, rental, purchase)			
	Method of Procurement utilized for	Subrecipient		
	materials			
Category	Files to Maintain	Location of	Present	File Review
		Files	Y/N?	Comments
FAIR HOUSING	Complaints (if any) and action taken to	Subrecipient		
SECTION 3	notify GLO-CDR or HUD			
CIVIL RIGHTS	Complaints and action taken to notify	Subrecipient		
	GLO-CDR or HUD, if applicable			
	NOTE: if no complaints have been			
	received, include a note in the file			
	stating this.			
	Appointment of Section 3 Coordinator	Subrecipient		
	Form	-		
	The following documents must be	Subrecipient		
	referenced in the TOC and flagged in the			
	executed construction contract			
	document:			
	1. Equal Opportunity Provisions	Subrecipient		
	2. Contractor Certification of Equal	Subrecipient		
	Opportunity Compliance			



	3. Contractor Certification of non- segregated facilities	Subrecipient		
	4. Contractor Certification of Section 3			
	Compliance			
	Locality's Section 3 Plan or its equivalent	Subrecipient		
	Pre-construction Report	Subrecipient		
	NOTE: if this report is included in the	Subrecipient		
	Pre-Construction Conference Report,			
	reference that in the TOC and tab it in			
	the Pre-Construction Conference Report			
	Personnel Policies/Handbook	Subrecipient		
	NOTE: include a copy in the file or a	Cubicolpicit		
	note indicating where it is can be			
	accessed			
	Affirmative Action Plan	Subrecipient		
	Equal Employment Opportunity Plan	Subrecipient		
	Documentation of fair housing activities	Subrecipient		
	Sample Advertisements for Subrecipient	Subrecipient		
	Employment			
Category	Files to Maintain	Location of Files	Present Y/N?	File Review Comments
FAIR HOUSING	Section 503 Compliance (affirmative	Subrecipient		
SECTION 3	action to employ and advance in			
CIVIL RIGHTS	employment qualified individuals with			
(CONTINUED)	disabilities)			
	Section 504 Self-Evaluation Review Form	Subrecipient		
	Section 504 Newspaper Publication.	Subrecipient		
	NOTE: this item is required to be			
	submitted with the Grant Completion			
	Report (GCR)			
	Section 504 Grievance Procedures.	Subrecipient		
	NOTE: this item is required to be			
	submitted with the Grant Completion			
	Report (GCR)			
	Designation Form for Section 504 and			
	Civil Rights Officer		_	
Category	Files to Maintain	Location of Files	Present Y/N?	File Review Comments
MONITORING/	GLO letter(s) of findings			
INSPECTION FILES	Subrecipient response(s) to findings			
	GLO response clearing findings			



	All other correspondence related to GLO			
	monitoring visits		_	
Category	Files to Maintain	Location of Files	Present Y/N?	File Review Comments
CLOSEOUT	Program Completion Report			
(as applicable)	Final Performance Statement and Budget			
	Map of actual construction locations			
	GLO-CDR administratively complete letter			
Category	Files to Maintain	Location of	Present	File Review
		Files	Y/N?	Comments
AUDIT	Method utilized to procure audit firms(s)	Subrecipient	-	
	Professional Services Contract			
	Agreement for independent auditor			
	Required initial audit report			
	demonstrating financial capacity or			
	independent auditors report			
	Audit Certification Forms in chronologic			
	order for every fiscal year the contract is			
	active			
	Single Audits (OMB A-133) or Program			
	Specific Audits in chronologic order			
	NOTE: \$750,000 expenditure threshold			
	Responses to audit report/audit			
	compliance letters		_	
Category	Files to Maintain	Location of	Present	File Review
		Files	Y/N?	Comments
CORRESPONDENCE/	General Compliance Correspondence—			
NOTES	Incoming and outgoing correspondence			
	that does not fall into the above			
	categories or specific project file			



3.7 Resources

GLO-CDR has created a comprehensive website which contains necessary forms, checklists, detailed guidance documents, and additional resources to supplement this Implementation Manual. Please see www.recovery.texas.gov for more information. The following resources are referenced within this chapter and will be updated as new forms and documents are developed.

Resource Number	Topic	URL
Resource 3.1	CDBG-DR Toolkit (HUD)	https://www.hudexchange.info/programs/CDBG-DR/toolkits/
Resource 3.2	<u>Urgent Need National Objective Form</u>	https://recovery.texas.gov/files/resources/housing/2c-form-1405-
		<u>urgent-need-national-objective-all.xlsx</u>

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